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Floyd W. Zumwalt (b)(6) Albany, OR 97321

Re: Preliminary Assessment

Magnum Salvage\Horizon Vehicles

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Dear Mr. Zumwalt:

The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has completed a preliminary assessment of the Magnum Salvage\Horizon Vehicles site under an agreement with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). A copy of the report without the attachments is enclosed. A preliminary assessment is an initial assessment of available information about a site to establish whether there are sufficient human health and/or environmental concerns to warrant a more extensive review.

Based on the preliminary assessment, DEQ has concluded that a site inspection is warranted. A site inspection may include a fairly extensive review of site conditions and a collection of samples. The site inspection may be performed either under EPA authority and guidance or under DEQ authority and guidance should EPA decide not to be involved. You will be contacted as soon as a decision on the schedule for completion of the site inspection has been determined.

Please feel free to submit information to us which you believe would make our report more complete.

If you have any further questions, please call Deborah Bailey of my staff at (503) 229-6811.

Sincerely,

Debbin Baily for Christy Smith

Site Assessment Section Supervisor Environmental Cleanup Division

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Enclosure

cc: Al Goodman, EPA-000

Deborah Flood, EPA-Region X